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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3478**
Hiroshi HAMASAKA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2002_0034A
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated March 12, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of the application in view of the following remarks.